

REMARKS

The following remarks are responsive to the Office Action of April 4, 2005. Reconsideration of the application and a notice of allowance are respectfully solicited.

Claims 2, 4 and 6 are now in this application. Claims are amended herein to clarify the subject matter of the invention.

I submit herewith a substitute specification. Also accompanying this amendment is a reproduction of the original specification and abstract with markings indicating the amendments effected in the substitute specification as the Examiner suggested. The substitute specification does not contain new matter. Entry of the substitute specification and abstract is respectfully requested.

Claim Objections

Claims 2, 4 and 6 are objected to because of the informalities. As the Examiner indicated in the Office Action, claims 2, 4 and 6 are amended herein so as to overcome the claim objection.

Claim Rejections-35 U.S.C. §112

Claims 2 and 4 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement. As the Examiner indicated in the Office Action, claims 2 and 4 are amended herein so as to overcome the claim rejection.

In view of the changes to the claims, it is respectfully submitted that the Examiner's rejection of claims 2 and 4 under 35 U.S.C. §112 has been overcome and should be removed.

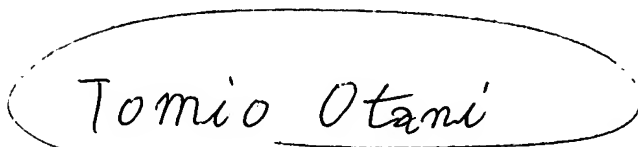
Allowable Subject Matter

The Examiner noted that claim 6 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Also the Examiner suggested the claims 2, 4 and 6 are amended as described at the Office Action to place them in condition for allowance.

Therefore, claims 2, 4 and 6 are rewritten as the Examiner proposed. The amended claims do not contain new matter as the Examiner knows

In light of the foregoing, I am now believed to be in proper form for allowance of all claims and notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,


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Encl: Substitute Specification; and Marked reproduction